

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
AUSTIN DIVISION

MICHAEL CARGILL	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	
	:	
v.	:	CIVIL ACTION NO.: 1:19-cv-349-DAE
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MERRICK B. GARLAND,	:	
IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS	:	
ATTORNEY GENERAL	:	
OF THE UNITED STATES, et al.	:	
	:	
Defendants.	:	

**DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION TO RESET
STATUS CONFERENCE**

On September 12, 2024, this Court scheduled a status conference on October 17, 2024. ECF No. 87. Plaintiff subsequently filed a partially-opposed motion to amend judgment on October 3, 2024. ECF No. 88. Under the local rules, Plaintiff's motion will not be fully briefed until October 24, 2024, with Defendants' response in opposition due October 17, 2024—the day of the status conference—and Plaintiff's reply in support of the motion due October 24, 2024. *See* LCvR 7(D)(2).

Defendants believe that all the outstanding issues in this matter will be addressed in the parties' briefing on Plaintiffs' motion, and can be resolved on the papers. Consequently, Defendants move to postpone the conference until the Parties have completed briefing on Plaintiff's motion to amend judgment, or remove the conference from the calendar entirely. In the alternative, Defendants move to hold the conference remotely, should that better suit the Court. Good cause exists for these requests, given the current briefing schedule and status of the matter. Plaintiff consents to the request for the conference to be remote and takes no position regarding Defendants' request to postpone the conference. Plaintiff's counsel additionally requested that Defendants provide the Court information

regarding their travel plans: Plaintiff's counsel intends to board flights to Austin on Wednesday morning, in order to attend the in-person conference on Thursday.

Dated: October 15, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

I certify that counsel for Defendants conferred with counsel for Plaintiff regarding this Motion on October 11 and 14, 2024, and they stated Plaintiff is unopposed to the relief requested.

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